

PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No.: 01142.0122

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Ap	pplicati	on of:)	
Mar	k H. P	AUSCH et al.)	
Application No.: 08/816,011)	Group Art Unit: 1646
Filed:	Filed: March 11, 1997)) Examiner: Michael D. PAK
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Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450				
NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31				
Sir:				
Applicants appeal to the Board of Appeals from the Examiner's decision mailed				
June 14, 2004.				
	The item(s) checked below are appropriate:			
1.	\boxtimes	A Petition for a three month extension of time is being filed concurrently with this Notice, extending the period for response to December 14, 2004.		
2.		A Petition for extension of time to further extend the period for response to [Date] is enclosed together with a fee of \$[Fee].		
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				ed to Deposit Account No. 06-0916
4.	A check for \$[Fee] to cover the above fees is enclosed.			

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Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: December 14, 2004

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